SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 812 By Kilby

A RESOLUTION to honor and recognize Tascha Shea Roark, 2006 Valedictorian of Coalfield School.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to pay tribute to those students who, through their natural talents and unflagging commitment to academic excellence, have distinguished themselves in the classroom; and

WHEREAS, Tascha Shea Roark is one such exceptional student who was recently named Valedictorian of the 2006 graduating class at Coalfield School; and

WHEREAS, through diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and steadfast commitment of time and talent, Tascha Roark has achieved outstanding academic success and has joined the ranks of the best and brightest students in Tennessee and our country; and

WHEREAS, in her remarkable high school career, Ms. Roark has earned an exemplary 4.0 grade point average, while participating in numerous academic and extracurricular clubs and organizations, including the Beta Club, the Scientific Research Elective Class, and the Bible Club; and

WHEREAS, greatly admired for her skills in diplomacy and leadership, Tascha Roark has further served her peers and school as the co-president of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, president of the National English Honor Society, and co-vice president of the Science Club; and

WHEREAS, Tascha Roark's display of intellectual aptitude and ambition surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Roark's noteworthy achievement is a tremendous source of pride for her parents, Rowland and Barbara Roark, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Tascha Roark's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED FOURTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we hereby commend and honor the 2006 Coalfield School Valedictorian, Tascha Shea Roark, on her impressive academic achievement and extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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